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LOCAL MENTION.

The United States court for the middle district of Pennsylvania held its sessign in Harrisburg on Thursday evening Assistant District Attorney A. T. earle, of this place, was in attendance. But few cases were considered. The next session of the court will be held in Williamsport in January.

-The Admiral Dahlgren section of the Navy League has started a movement to have a warship named after 'Scranton," the scene of the activities of that branch of the organization. The proposition submitted is that if congress lecides to build any more battle ships and one of them is christened Pennsylvania, the armored cruiser, now bearing that name should be rechristened Scranon. Capt. E. K. Roden, secretary of the Dahlgren section has entered enthusiastically into the movement and has reeived assurances of assistance from the longressman T. D. Nicholls, the Scranon Board of Trade, and Senator Boies

he second postponement of the case. hair and kept herhead from being dash- -Z. J. Lord, of Waymart, was called ollowing the death of Miss Brock in her carriage and sent the lady home, in the fune al of his brother-in-law, H. S. Carbondale. William Brown, who ad- a state of collapse from fright, but Blossom. nitted being responsible for the condi- otherwise practically unharmed. For -Mr. and Mrs. John H. Weaver, of ulted in her death. The parties are Il respectably connected in this coun-r, and the outcome of the trial is await-better, and charges her with having effted by the use of the Sizerville miner

-Forty Hours' Devotion will be held

-The skating on Park Lake was very good during most of the past week, and the young people took full advantage of

our county line, has been created a deaths and 9 births. borough by a decree issued by Judge H.

-A new post office has been established on the other side of the Delaware from Lackawaxen station, to be known as Minisink Ford. Anthony Smith is the first postmaster.

-On Saturday morning last Louis J. Dorflinger had the misfortune to slip on the tiled floor of his bath room, in his residence, corner of 10th and Court streets, and falling, sustain a severe cut and bruise over one of his eyes.

-Notice has been given of an unusu-FOR SALE—Ray house, on East Extension street. Large lot with sixty feet front. M. E. Simons. Wells-Fargo and United States Express Companies. The changes by the American and National Companies are generally an increase to sixty cents per one hundred pounds on merchandise between various offices where formerly the rate was fifty cents.

> combined capital of \$375,000; an aggregate surplus of \$475,000; undivided profits amounting to \$153,363 and total \$2,513,928, and their holding of investment securities, \$2,119,312. Cash on hand and due from banks at last report \$595,734. This is a splendid showing.

-Grace Church Parish Aid Society cleared upwards of \$300 at their annual bazaar and supper on Thursday after- the institution which he has in charge. noon and evening last, and the musical entertainment given under the auspices five pupils, its patronage coming from of the M. E. church choir the next evening netted more than \$75 for the organ High Lake, Shehawken, Preston Park, fund. This, too, while there were well Starlight, Hiawatha, Thompson and patronized theatre and moving picture Waymart. There are fifteen in the Sophattractions in town.

effected at a meeting in that city on as to cost of tuition, board, etc. Tuesday afternoon, December, 8th. The Hon, John Kuhbach and Adam Spitzer are four of the eleven directors.

the Del. and Hud. pocket dumping how gratifying such an order would be grounds opposite Blandin, have been here. We wouldn't think of asking such taken down and the lumber is being a concession. But perhaps fifteen or shipped to Carbondale. The immense twenty minutes of light and warmth at trestling, mainly about thirty feet high the station before the arrival and detained hundreds of thousands of feet of as too much of a boon. Think of it, first-class lumber. As there were no gentlemen, you who keep the keys! mortises or tenons in the structure, the -There's not a dull moment in the timber sustained very little damage from brilliant performance given by Mildred to the advance in hemlock, is perhaps promptly at 8 P. M., and until 11 it's works were built.

Lodore park two years since, and sub- effect, costuming, beauty and all other escapes from death by mishaps to her make up a perfect and exquisite entirety air-ship and once from being shot to are in the hands of skilled, high salaried F. Dorin, of Honesdale, was her press catering to the most exacting audiences rope of a balloon and she was carried company of entertainers. skyward in an inverted and uncomfortable position in the presence of more than 5,000 persons. The Agricultural the Legislature, of a character to require Society of Ulster county, under whose the D. and H. Co. either to supply auspices the balloon ascension was giv- Honesdale with better coal, or furnish sequel to a story which thrilled the countion has been in the habit of unloading try on the morning of Aug. 30, 1907, the on us, at its real value. The D. and H. day after Mrs. Roper, under protest, has long practiced the plan of sending accompanied the balloon skyward. Miss to Honesdale at the highest price coal Dailey was about to make an ascension at the Ellenville fair, when the spectators crowded about the inflated balloon. Mrs. Roper happened to be so located that when the ropes were released and the gas-bag shot skyward, the line at- Honesdale is a non-competitive point in tached to its top, with a small bag of the coal trade, the advantages of our sand dangling at its end to capsize the situation are obvious. The consensus of balloon after the parachute leap, caught around one of her ankles, and she sailed Hades was heated with coal bought in away, head downward. Miss Dailey re- Honesdale, even His Satanic Majesty alized the danger to both, knowing that would freeze to death the first night. if she cut loose her parachute her acci- This may be set down as a cold fact. acting secretary of the navy, Newberry, dental passenger would surely be dashed to death, and that if she did not, there was no telling how either of them could ever expect to reach the ground alive. -The case of Dr. C. W. Treverton, With rare presence of mind, however, wear Co., is in town. inder indictment for being responsible she bade Mrs. Roper to keep her eyes or the death of Miss Helen Brock, as shut and make no struggle, and all would Y., is a guest of Honesdale relatives. he result of illegal treatment, which come out right, which it did. When the was listed for trial in Scranton on Fri-balloon finally settled to within jumping ped nearly a thousand Christmas trees lay last, was continued until February distance, Miss Dailey leaped from the to Clark, the florist, of Scranton, last sion of the criminal court. This was trapeze, seized her companion by the week.

-Interesting correspondence from our in St. Mary Magdalena's church during Maplewood, Sterling, Dreher, Clinton, January 1st, 2d, and 3d.

Maplewood, Sterling, Dreher, Clinton, Steene and Harrisburg contributors will appear in Friday's issue.

-Dr. Schermerhorn, who has charge of the Bureau of Vital Statistics reports that in the Honesdale and Prompton -Moscow, Lackawanna county, near districts during November, there were 12

-On Thursday last, Ontario & Western detective Sheare, of Port Jervis, and lengthy stay in New York city. Wayne county detective N. B. Spencer, of this place, brought to Honesdale and arraigned before William H. Ham, J. P., John McKutzl and Frank Dressler, of Browntown, charged with stealing coal at Forest City. The prisoners both pleaded guilty, and were fined \$25 and were haled before Esquire R. A. Smith, for the same offense, and their cases two fine specimens of the red variety. were disposed of by him.

Allen and Mr. Richmond, both of Hones- ed to their home on Monday afternoon. dale, regarding a franchise for an electric road through Hawley. The trolley project is in the hands of Honesdale parties who propose to complete the road. They expect to come down the towpath by way of the East Side to the -The four Honesdale banks have a Eddy and thence up Church and Main streets. Council requested the applicants to draw up a contract embracing to Brookline, Mass., yesterday morning, certain conditions and present it at a resources summing up \$5,361,227. Their future meeting. The life of the franchise total deposits are \$4,302,865; their loans that the council will grant will be about 30 years."

-J. I. Henshaw, principal of the Pres history, equipment and advantages of Grace Church, Honesdale, will preach. The school has an enrollment of ninety-Winwood, Poyntelle, Orson, Lake Como, omore class; five in the Junior class, and -A permanent organization of the seven Seniors. A letter to Mr. Henshaw Scranton Fire Insurance Company was at Winwood will elicit full information

-Coal has been reduced sixty cents officers are Henry E. Gilpin, President; ton at Vestal, N. Y. How it would shock Adam Spitzer, First Vice President; us if such a thing should happen here! John Kuhbach, Second Vice President; And over in Jermyn the D. & H. has de-R. K. Cramer, Secretary and F. J. Bis- cided to leave their waiting room at the hop, M. D., Treasurer. Hon. George depot open a good part of the night so W. Kipp, Hon. E. B. Hardenbergh, that hereafter passengers will not be obliged to wait out in the cold. At least this is what the papers say. We don't -The "high works" at the summit of mention this with any idea of suggesting and several hundred feet in length, con- parture of trains wouldn't be regarded

the use to which it was put, and, owing and Rouclere. The curtain goes up more valuable now than when the high one continuous fast and furious rush of mystery and fantasy seasoned with de--Miss Maggie Dailey, who made the lightful comedy. Every detail of scenic thrilling balloon ascent from the Lake and stage investiture, electrical and color sequently had two or three hair-breadth little but important items that go to death by her lover-assistant, while W. artists and attendants who are used to and booking agent, is again brought into in the world. Mildred and Rouclere's notice by a suit brought by Mrs. Mary A. engagement here on Thursday evening, Roper, of Brooklyn, N.Y., who istrying to Dec. 17th, at the Lyric, will be a social convince a jury in the Supreme court at as well as an amusement event, when Kingston, N. Y., that her feelings were they will present that bewildering fanlacerated to the extent of \$25,000 when tasy, "The Flight of Princess Iris," with her foot was entangled in the anchor all new scenery and effects, and a strong

-Representative Fuerth intends to sewhich cannot be sold elsewhere, and soothing all complaints with the consoling assurance that those who are not ing assurance that those who are not satisfied with it have the privilege of single suits for Ladies and Misses at less going where they can do better. As opinion among purchasers is that if

PERSONAL.

-Augustus Levy, of the Katz Under-

-Mrs. W. F. Tyler, of Callicoon, N. -Henry Tamblyn, of Girdland, ship-

Or. Treverton was arrested in July last, ed against the ground. She then called to Bradford, Pa., last week, to attend

n of Miss Brock, and who is also un- this experience, which it is alleged great- Hotel Wayne, and Contractor George er indictment, accused the doctor of ly humiliated her and permanently af- H. Seaman returned from Sizerville, Pa., aving given treatment to the girl which | fected her nervous system, Mrs. Roper | on Thursday last. Both Mr. Weaver demands \$25,000 damages. But the Ag- and Mr. Seaman who had been sufferricultural Society goes Mrs. Roper one ing from rheumatism, were greatly ben-

-Miss Ettie Fuerth is a guest of Mrs. William P. Boland, of Scranton.

-W. F. Suydam entertained a few friends at cards, at his home, last Satur

-T. Frank Ham attended the Boise-Belden wedding, in Scranton, on Tuesday of last week.

-Mrs. R. N. Torrey and daughter, Miss Clara, returned last week from a

-Parke Schoonover, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. S. M. Decker, of Court street, for a fortnight, returned on Saturday last to Passaic, N. J., where he is employed in an express office.

-H. A. Oday, Clarence Bond, John Hallet, Charles Iloff and Antonio Fritz costs each. Two or three other prisoners went gunning for foxes on Saturday last and had the good luck to secure

-Monroe Schwartzkoff, of Pittston, -Hawley Times-"A special session spent Sunday with his sister, Florence, of the town council was held on Wed- who was a guest of the Misses Fuerth nesday evening to confer with M. B. for several days last week. They return-

> -Miss Hattie Sutton, of Park street, who went to Washington, D. C., in October last, to visit relatives, has gone to LosAngeles, California, where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Annie Noble.

> -Mr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Holmes went where they will pass the Christmas holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mills, and family.

-The Sunday School in the Indian Orchard school house will hereafter meet ton High School, located at Winwood, at 1:45 P. M. In addition there will be sends us a neat little booklet showing church services next Sunday at 2:30 P. the officers, teachers, course of study, M., at which Rev. A. L. Whittaker, of

-Mrs. Lena (Tauebner) Davidson sent Mrs. L. Fuerth and other Honesdale friends as Christmas presents, a number of beautiful views of Weimar, the childhood home of her mother, while she was visiting that famous German city.

-Miss Tydvil Jones, the gifted Welsh singer, leading soprano in the Second Presbyterian church of Scranton, was the guest of Mrs. C. F. Bullock, during her visit to Honesdale to participate in the M. E. church choir concert on Friday evening last.

-Mrs. Wm. B. Holmes entertained the members of her Sunday school class, at her home, on North Main street, last Thursday evening. Dainty refreshments were served, and each guest was presented with a Christmas package, containing a pretty silk work bag.

-J. N. C. Bader, whose name has been so long connected with the clothing and gents' furnishing business of Honesdale as to have become a household word, has sold his stock and good will to Louis Helfrich, who will hereafter manage the store. Mr. Helfrich learned the tailoring business of Wm. Geisicke, and hiseleven years experience in the trade will recommend him to the public as a worthy successor to Mr.

Walter's great play of American life entitled "Paid in Full," which has a record run of five months at the Grand Opera House, Chicago, and a run of two seasons at the Astor Theatre, New York. The entire New York and Chicago press stamped "Paid in Full" as the greatest play since the days of "Jim the Penman" and "The Banker's Daughter." Kenold Wolf, the well known writer of the Morning Telegraph, said in his review of "Paid in Full": "After witnessing the performance the formula seems so very, very simple. Mr. Walter had a story to tell. He merely told cure legislation at the coming session of it. He told it directly, honestly, simply and frankly. Not a word was wasted, not a superfluous scene was interjected, en, is the defendant. The suit is the the inferior quality which that corpora- lacking, of made-to-order epigrams there was none, and-thank Heaven-the 'comedy relief' was omitted. In their place was a real play of real life, with human beings that trod the earth and breathed the air."

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church, Pleasant Mount on Sunday, trical and mechanical effects and fifteen Dec. 20th, at 10:30 A. M. Subject, first class vaudeville features, introduced Belshazzar's Feast."

The revival meetings which have been in progress in the M. E. church, Beth- people, and many bright and catchy any, during the past week, will be con- musical numbers are introduced in the tinued this week with an all day meet- long program. The Press all over New ing next Sunday. The services will be England, has nothing but words of in charge of Evangelist Bessie B. Lar- praise for Mildred and Rouclere, and kin. Evangelist T. L. Wiland, of Allen- their big sensational production, "The town, will be present next Sunday. Flight of Princess Iris," at the Lyric, Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be Thursday, Dec. 17th. administered Sunday morning.

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